(b) whether there has been delay in completing these projects;

(c) if so, by when these are likely to be completed;

(d) whether the gas earmarked for these delayed projects has been diverted for other uses; and

(e) if so, whether this diversion has-been on a fall back basis ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) Fertiliser plants at Bijaipur, Aonla, -tfagdishpur, Babrala, Sawai Madhopur (later Kota), and Shah-jahanpur.

(b) Three of them have been completed and three are delayed.

(c) In the next 2 or 3 years.

(d) and (e) On account of delay in the completion of these projects, alternate consumers were allocated gas, some of them on a fall back basis.

Mixing of Kerosene in Petrol

2470. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI : Will the Minister of PETROLEUM) AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state :

(a) whether the Government are aware that petrol pumps in various parts of the country are mixing kerosene in the petrol and thereby damaging the engines of vehicles consuming the adulterated petrol;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof;

(c) the number of petrol pumps in various parts of the country that have so far been detected selling adulterated petrol with details thereof and action taken against each of them so far during the last one year;

(d) whether any such cases were detected in Madhya Pradesh also; and

(e) if so, what are the details! thereof ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) to (e) During the period from November, 1991 to September, 1992, the oil marketing companies had detected 44 cases of adulteration of petrol at Retail Outlets in various parts of the country. In these cases, the oil companies have taken necessary action as per the Marketing Discipline Guidelines. 5 were detected in the State of Madhya Pradesh.

श्री केशव देव मालवीय के सम्मान में गठित की गई समिति के कार्य

2471. श्री सत्य प्रकाश मालवीय : क्या पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री यह बताने की कृपा करेंगे कि :

(क) श्री केशव देव मालवीय के सम्मान में गठित की गई समिति द्वारा अब तक लिए गए निर्णयों का ब्यौरा क्या और उन्हें कार्यान्वित किए जाने के सम्बन्ध में वर्तमान स्थिति क्या है ; और

(ख) समिति की वर्तमान तथा भावी योजनाएं क्या-क्या हैं ?

पेट्रोलियम और प्राकृतिक गैस मंत्री (श्री बी० शंकरानन्द) : (क) और (ख) समिति ने विभिन्न कार्यकलापों को निर्दिष्ट किया है, जिसमें फेलोशिप का आरम्भ, विभिन्न विश्वविद्यालयों में चेयरों को स्थापित करना; तेल म्यूजियम की स्थापना और स्वर्गीय श्री के० डी० मालवीय पर किताब जारी करना आदि शामिल है जो सम्बद्ध संगठनों/एजेंसियों द्वारा क्रियान्वयन के विभिन्न चरणों में है ।

Proposed Barauni Refinery Expansion Pro* ject and Petrochemical Complex

2472. SHRI INDER KUMAR GUJRAL: Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the proposed Barauni Refinery expansion project and establishment of a petrochemical complex have been abandoned; and

(b) if so, what are the reasons therefor ?

THE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND) : (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.